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PETITION EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)

Docket No. E0001/7056

Applicant:

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application up to, and including, April 25, 2006.

Smal	I Entity			
	Applicant claims small entity status			
Exte	nsion			
The r	equested extension and the appropriate fee are as	follows:		
П	One month (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1))			
П	Two months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2))			
	Three months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3))	\$1020.00		
	Four months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(4))			
П	Five months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(5))			
_	Reduction by one-half for request by small entity			
	Total Fee:	<u>\$1,020.00</u>		
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	A check in the amount of the extension fee is enclosed.			
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	accompanying this petition.	04/28/2006 YPOLITE1 00000	013 09955351	
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	Check in the amount of the total filing fee. Charge Account No. in the amount of the to sheet is attached.	ital filing fee. A duplicate o	f this transmittal
Auth ⊠	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to §1.16 and §1.17 required by the attached p application to Account No. 02-3038.	charge any additional fees aper and during the entire	under 37 C.F.R. pendency of this
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